



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Art Unit: 2138
Examiner: Mr. Saqib Javaid Siddiqui

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Applicant : Teruhisa OBARA)
Serial No. : 10/649,765)
Filed : August 28, 2003)
For : SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED)
CIRCUIT WITH A TEST CIRCUIT)
Attorney Ref. : OKI 368)

**AMENDMENT
AFTER
FINAL REJECTION**

November 22, 2006

Mail Stop: AF
Director of Patents
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Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action of August 23, 2006, the period for reply to which is set to expire on November 23, 2006 (Thanksgiving, and thus on the following day, November 24, 2006). An RCE is being filed concurrently.

A fee of \$ 790 is also being submitted concurrently. Should this remittance be accidentally missing, however, or should any additional fees be needed (including additional extension of time fees, since Applicant hereby provisionally petitions for any extensions that may be deemed necessary to avoid abandonment), the Director may charge such fees to our Deposit Account number 18-0002.

Please amend the above-identified application as specified on the following pages, and then reconsider the application in view of the Remarks that are presented thereafter.